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AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 1st Day of *February*, 1760,

PRESENT,

The King's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majeſty's Proclamation of the 15th of May laſt, "For "giving Encouragement to Seamen and able bodied "Landmen to enter themſelves on board His Ma- "jeſty's Ships of War; for granting Rewards for "diſcovering ſuch Seamen as ſhall conceal them- "ſelves; for pardoning ſuch Seamen as have deſert- "ed and ſhall return into the Service; and alſo for "taking up all ſtragling Seamen," hath been prolonged and extended to the 11th of this Inſtant February; — And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majeſty's Service, that the ſame ſhould be continued for ſome Time longer—His Majeſty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His privy Council, hereby Order, that the ſaid Time be prolonged and extended from the aforeſaid 11th Day of this Inſtant February, to the 24th Day of March next; and that the Bounties and Rewards given and granted by His Majeſty's aforementioned Proclamation, be continued to be paid until the ſaid 24th Day of March next. — Whereof all Perſons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themſelves accordingly.

William Sharpe.

Florence, Feb. 2. Laſt Week anchored at Leghorn from a Cruize, his Britannick Majeſty's Ship the Ambuſcade, Captain Baſſett, Commander, having brought in two French Prizes of a conſiderable Value, which Veſſels, as well as the Fame Privateer, and two other French Prizes brought in by him, were all drove a-ſhore a few Days ago; but it is thought they might be got off without much Damage. The Favourite Sloop has likewiſe brought into Leghorn a French Ship laden with Cloth and Indigo from Marſeilles, bound for Alexandretta. A Detachment of 350 Recruits, to compleat the Tuſcan Troops in Germany, are to ſet out on the 15th Inſtant.

Whitehall Treaſury Chambers, February 23, 1760.

THE Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury having by Virtue of the Power given unto them by an Act of Parliament lately paſſed for granting an Aid to His Majeſty by a Land Tax to be raiſed in Great Britain for the Service of the Year 1760, directed Exchequer Bills to be made forth for ſeveral Sums payable in Courſe on the Credit of the ſaid Land Tax Act, which ſaid Bills are to bear Intereſt at the Rate of Two-pence by the Day for every 100l. and are to paſs and be current in all Revenues, Aids, Taxes, and Supplies whatſoever, and at the Receipt of Exchequer, according to the ſaid Act.

And whereas all and every Receivers and Collectors in Great Britain, of the Cuſtoms, Exciſe, or any Revenue, Aid, Tax, or Supply whatſoever already granted, due or payable, or which ſhall or may hereafter be granted, due or payable to His Majeſty, his Heirs, and Succeſſors, are by the ſaid Act directed and required out of any current coined Money as ſhall then be in his or their Hands, of ſuch Revenue, Aid, Tax, or Supply, to pay ſuch of the ſame Bills as ſhall be brought to them reſpectively, by any Perſon or Perſons deſiring to have Money for the ſame, under the Penalties in the ſaid Act preſcribed: The ſaid Lords Commiſſioners do hereby give Notice to, and command and ſtrictly charge and require, all and every ſuch Receivers and Collectors, that they do obſerve and comply with the Directions of the ſaid Act, in reſpect of the ſaid Exchequer Bills.

Admiralty-Office, February 23, 1760.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in purſuance of a late Act of Parliament, intituled, An Act to explain and amend an Act made in the Twenty-ninth Year of His preſent Majeſty's Reign, intituled, An Act for the Encouragement of Seamen, and the more ſpeedy and effectual manning His Majeſty's Navy; and for the better Prevention of Piracies and Robberies by Crews of private Ships of War, a Seſſion of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery, for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas, within the Juriſdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held on Friday the Twenty-eighth Day of March next, at Juſtice Hall in the Old Bailey, London, at Eight of the Clock in the Morning.

Notice is alſo hereby given, that for the future an Admiralty Seſſion will be held in the ſeveral Months of March and October in every Year, purſuant to the Directions of the ſaid Act of Parliament.

Ph. Stephens.

Newcaſtle Houſe, Feb. 22, 1760.

The Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Middleſex are deſired to meet at Mr. Lambe's Houſe in Pall-mall, on Monday the 3d Day of March next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, it being the Second General Meeting appointed for putting into Execution the ſeveral Laws relating to the Militia Forces of this Kingdom.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

Devonſhire Houſe, Feb. 25, 1760.

Whereas a Number of Gentlemen have offered themſelves to ſerve as Officers in the Militia for the County of Derby, ſufficient to enable the Deputy Lieutenants to proceed in carrying the Acts of Parliament for raiſing the Militia into Execution; but as ſeveral Officers are ſtill wanting to compleat the Whole Number requiſite for one Battalion, the Deputy Lieutenants are deſired and directed to meet at the George Inn in Derby, on Wedneſday the 26th Day of March next, to receive the Names of ſuch Perſons as are qualified and willing to accept Commiſſions, and to proceed in the Execution of the Acts of Parliament made for raiſing the Militia.

DEVONSHIRE.

February 25, 1760.

His Majeſty's Lieutenant of the County of Buckingham doth hereby appoint a General Meeting, to be held in the Forenoon, at Aylesbury, on Wedneſday March the 5th, for carrying the Directions of the ſeveral Militia Acts into further Execution. TEMPLE, *C. P. S.*

Whitehall, February 23, 1760.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that the three following Robberies have been lately committed, viz.

First, That the Dwelling House of William Black, Esq; in New Broad Street, London, was broke into between Five and Six o'Clock on Sunday Morning, the 10th Instant, and robbed of the following Plate, 3 Salvers, 1 Milk Pot, 1 Boat, 6 Small Spoons, 1 Coffee Pot, 2 Salts, 2 Shovels, 1 Pair of Tongues, 1 Candlestick, 1 Tea Kettle, 1 Stand with 3 Castors, 1 Pair of large Candlesticks, and several other Things unknown.

Second, That the Dwelling House of Joshua Sugden, at the King's Arms, in New Broad Street Passage, leading to Bishopsgate, Publican, was, early on Friday Morning, the 15th Instant, broke into, and a Scrutore broke open, and the following Sums of Money stolen thereout, 90 Guineas, in a Harden Bag, 9 ½ lay loose, 4 Guineas in half Guineas, 6 Crown Pieces, viz. 2 King William's, 2 King James's, and 2 Queen Anne's, and about 6 Pounds in Silver loose, the Property of the said Joshua Sugden.

And the Third, That sundry wicked and evil disposed Persons did, on Monday last, the 18th Instant, find Means to get into the House of Samuel Lloyd, of Devonshire Square, Merchant, and a little after Three o'Clock in the Morning, one of them, with a Vizard Mask on, did enter the Chamber of the said Samuel Lloyd, habited like a Sailor, with a Pistol tuck'd in the Waistband of his Trouzers, a Dark Lanthorn in his Right Hand, and a broad Blade Butcher's Knife in his Left, came to his Bed Side, and, in a menacing low Tone, demanded the said Samuel Lloyd to give him All his Money, ordering him, at the same Time not to speak loud, or make a Noise, or else would cut his Throat; and when he was told where the Cash was, demanded the Key of the Compting House, and also whether the Cash was in a Drawer, Bag, or Purse,—and after receiving said Keys gave them, (as the said Samuel Lloyd supposes,) to some of his Accomplices, while he stood Centinel at said Chamber-Door, and who, thro' either not knowing how to use said Keys, or being in Haste, broke open the Door of the Compting-House, and also wrench'd open two Desks therein, and took out from thence to the Value of about 150 l. in Specie; among which were about fifty Shillings in Crown and Half-Crown Pieces, and the rest chiefly in Guineas, except some few Portugal Pieces.

His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in all, or either of the said Robberies, is pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one concerned in all, or either of the said Robberies, who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that they, or any of them, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

W. PITT.

And, as a further Encouragement, the said William Black, of New Broad street, does hereby promise a Reward of Fifty Pounds to any Person, who shall discover his, or her Accomplice or Accomplices, who broke into, and robbed his House as aforesaid, to be paid upon the lawful Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.

William Black.

And, as a further Encouragement, the said Samuel Lloyd, of Devonshire-square, does hereby promise a Reward of Fifty Pounds to any Person or Persons, who shall give any Information relating to the said Robbery, (committed in his House) so that the Person or Persons concerned therein may be lawfully convicted.

Samuel Lloyd.

And, as a still further Encouragement, the Ward of Bishopsgate Without do promise a Reward of One Hundred Pounds, to be paid by the Deputy of the said Ward, to any Person or Persons, who shall make any Discovery, so as to convict the Perpetrators of the above three Robberies, or a proportionable Part for either of the said Robberies that shall be discovered.

Uppington Bracee, *Deputy.*

Whitehall, February 19, 1760.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That an Anonymous Letter has been sent to Colonel John Lee, directed, "for that old roge Jack lee at Alse;" *Which Letter is as follows, viz.* "if You dont stop "Your proseedings Immeadetly About the Milisha "your dwelling shall be demolished and your Carkis "sent to the diuel for a fier brand. 1760." *His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Person, or Persons, concerned in Writing the said Letter, is, hereby, pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Person, that actually wrote the same,) who shall discover his, or her Accomplice, or Accomplices, therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended, and convicted thereof; and also a Reward of One Hundred Pounds to be paid by the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, upon the Conviction of one or more of the Offenders.* W. PITT.

And, as a further Encouragement, the said Colonel John Lee does hereby offer a Reward of Twenty Guineas, to any Person, or Persons, making such Discovery as aboveSaid, to be paid upon the Conviction of one, or more of the Offenders.

Victualling Office, February 1, 1760.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Friday the 7th of March next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as may be willing to contract for furnishing such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels with Provisions, as may touch at Barbadoes and the Leeward Islands, and be in Want thereof. The Conditions of the Contract may be seen at the Secretary's Office at the Victualling Office, London.

Victualling Office, Feb. 20, 1760.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, That on Friday the 7th of March next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to receive Tenders from such Persons as may be inclinable to undertake to furnish fresh Beef during the Term of three Months, to such of his Majesty's Ships in Torbay in the County of Devon, as may be in Want thereof. The Condition of the Contract may be seen at the Secretary's Office at the Victualling Office, London, or by applying to the Agent for the Victualling at Plymouth.

Navy Office, February 1, 1760.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are desirous to contract for the Stores undermentioned, for His Majesty's Service, on the Days expressed against the same, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning precisely, that they may attend with their Proposals accordingly, viz.

Iron,	———	*on Wednesday 5 March 1760.*
Hemp,	———	*Friday 7 ditto.*
East Country Tar,	——	*Wednesday 12 ditto.*
Dantzick Plank and Prussia Deals,	}	*Monday 17 ditto.*
Norway Goods,	——	*Wednesday 19 ditto.*
Riga Masts,	———	*Friday 21 ditto.*

Navy Office, February 12, 1760.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that on Thursday the 28th Instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning precisely, they will be ready to expose to Sale at this Office, Several Parcels of Old Stores lying at his Majesty's Yard at Woolwich, consisting of Paper Stuff, White Oakum, Hemp, Rubbish, Refuse Ends, Decayed Lanthorns, and Cutlosses; where any Persons willing to be Purchasers may have the Liberty of viewing them at any Time in the Working Hours of the said Yard till the Day of Sale. And as a Deposit of 25 l. per Cent. or in that Proportion,

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is to be made by the Persons who shall purchase the said Lotts; all Persons who shall attend the Sale, are to take Notice thereof, and come prepared for that Purpose; and unless the Stores so purchased, shall be paid for and taken away at the End of Forty Days after the Day of Sale, the Deposit shall be forfeited, and become the Property of the Crown.

General Post Office, February 9, 1760.

Whereas the Post Boy carrying the Portsmouth Mail from this Office, was, this Morning, between Two and Three of the Clock, near Kensington Gravel Pitts, attacked and robbed by a single Highwayman, who took out of the said Mail and carried off the Portsmouth Bag of Letters.

The Person who committed this Robbery is said to be about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, a slender middle aged Man, had on a blue Surtout Coat, and was mounted upon a large strong Brown Gelding, upwards of 15 Hands high.

This is therefore to give Notice, That whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended, and convicted, the Person who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen; or if any Person or Persons, whether an Accomplice in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, shall make Discovery, whereby the Person who committed the same may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer, or Discoverers, will, upon Conviction of the Party, be intitled to the same Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, and also have His Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Postmaster General.

George Shelvocke, Secretary.

N. B. All Persons who may have sent any Notes or Drafts to Portsmouth by this Mail, are desired to give immediate Notice thereof to this Office, or to advertise the same in the Publick Papers, which may prevent such Notes or Drafts being disposed of.

Hospital for the Maintenance and Education of Exposed and Deserted Young Children,
February 23, 1760.

Notice is hereby given, that a General Court of the Corporation of the Governors and Guardians of this Hospital, will be held (by Adjournment) at the said Hospital in Lamb's Conduit Fields, on Tuesday the 4th Day of March next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning; when all the Governors and Guardians are desired to be present. T. Collingwood, Secretary.

Assurance Office, Serjeants Inn, Fleet-street,
February 26, 1760.

The Corporation of the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Assurance Office, do hereby give Notice, That at Christmas last past, there were in Arrear five Quarterly Payments due to the said Society, on each of the several Policies number'd as follows, viz.

Numbers 25, 26, 62, 208, 211, 277, 421, 422, 427, 457, 525, 559, 851, 1183, 1852, 1867, 1968, and 1970.

On each of which several Policies, there is due to the said Society for the said Five Quarterly Payments, the Sum of Six Pounds Fifteen Shillings; and that unless the several Persons entituled to the said Policies, number'd as above, do pay off their Arrears within three Calendar Months from the Date hereof, such Defaulters, their Nominees, and their respective Executors, Administrators, and Assigns, will, by Vertue of the supplemental Charter of the said Society, stand absolutely excluded. John Pye, Register.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships Windsor and Escorte, who were actually on Board at the taking the St. Piere on the 28th of April 1758, that they will be paid their respective Shares of said Prize and Cargoe as follows, viz. Windsor on Board at Portsmouth, before she proceeds to Sea; Escorte at the French Horn in Crutched Fryars, on Tuesday the 26th of February 1760: And the Shares not then demanded will be recall'd at the French Horn aforesaid, for three Years to come.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships undermentioned, who were actually on Board at taking the Robuste, a French Ship of War, the 15th of September 1758, that they will be paid their respective Shares of the Head-money, viz. Alcide at the King's Head Tavern in Fenchurch Street, on Saturday the 8th of March 1760; Actæon on Board at Plymouth: And the Shares not then demanded will be recalled as follows; Alcide at the King's Head aforesaid, the last Wednesday, Actæon at the French Horn in Crutched Fryars the last Tuesday, in every Month for three Years to come.

The Court of Assistants of the Russia Company give Notice, that the annual General Court of the said Company will be held at the Office of the Corporation for Seamen in the Merchants Service over the Royal Exchange, on Saturday the 1st of March next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, for the Election of a Governor, Consuls, Assistants, and other Officers for the Year ensuing.

To the PUBLIC.

PErsons of Character and Distinction may be informed of the salutiferous Quality and great Efficacy of my Antiarthritic Wine, as a Remedy for the Gout, &c. by enquiring (Post paid) of any of the undermentioned Gentlemen, who, from a tender Concern for others in the like Afflictions, have generously given me Leave to use their Names in this public Manner; which said Wine (by Royal Authority) is to be had in London, at my House only, the Golden Ball in the Strand, opposite the New Exchange Buildings, at one Guinea the Bottle.

J. COLLETT.

General Carr, in Great Maddox-street, Hanover Square.
—— Herring, Esq; in Great Marlborough-street.
John Cross, Esq; at Hendon in Middlesex.
John Madders, of Berkley Square, Gentleman.
John Powell, of Nicholas Lane, Lombard Street, Merchant.
John Parkinson, in Watling Street, Merchant.
George Honour, in Montague Close, Dyer.
Richard Cracraft, sen. in Brabant Court, Philpot Lane, Gentleman.
George Atwood, Esq; in Black Friers near St. Paul's.

By the KING's *Patent*,

HIS MAJESTY having been graciously pleased to grant his Royal Letters Patent, bearing Date at Westminster the 17th Day of October 1751, in the 25th Year of his Reign, unto Richard Rock, of the Parish of St. Bridget, otherwise Bride's, London, Licentiate in Medicine, for his New Compound Medicine, or Anti-Venereal Cathartick Electuary, for the true Cure of fresh Venereal Injuries, and all the lurking Reliefs or Remains of old ones, which he has brought to a surprizing Degree of Perfection in the Cure of the several Stages of the Venereal Distemper, from the slightest Infection to the most inveterate Degree thereof, without breaking or impairing the Constitution, enervating the human System, or leaving any Foulness or Weakness behind: This is therefore to acquaint the Publick, for whose Use and Benefit the said Letters Patent were principally obtained, that the said most admirable Electuary is sold by him at the Golden Head and Key, Bell Savage Inn Gateway, Ludgate-Hill, London, at only 6s. and a Book of plain Instructions (by the Help of which every one may be his own Physician) given with each Pot: Where Advice is to be had, and all Debilities, Obstructions of the urinary Passages, and Gleets, are absolutely cured.

N. B. The Electuary is sold only by the Author as abovementioned. Beware of Counterfeits.

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